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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136 (a)

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of (1) ONE month to respond to the Office Action mailed on April 7, 2004; because of this extension the time period for response will expire on July 7, 2004. Filed herewith is a complete response to said Office Action.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 14-1270 in the amount of \$110.00, the fee for this extension; and charge any additional fees except for the Issue Fee, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-1270.

Respectfully submitted

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